

AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph at page 3, lines 23-27 with the following:

As stated above and herein, the compositions of the invention exhibit the retention of room temperature impact strength ~~to~~ at a commercially significant level at sub-zero temperatures, as low as -80°F. Accordingly, numerous formed products may be prepared that take advantage of the mechanical and optical properties exhibited by the present compositions.

Please replace the paragraph at page 4, lines 6-7 with the following:

Figures ~~4 and 1 and 2~~ and TEM micrographs of the impact modified acrylic based resin of Example 1.

After “EXAMPLES” on page 6, line 21, please insert:

A. Preparation

Please replace Table I with the following:

TABLE I

	<u>ASTM Test</u>	<u>#1</u>	<u>#2</u>	<u>#3</u>
<u>Optical Properties</u>				
- Transmittance (%)	D1003	91	91.5	89
- Haze (%)	D1003	1.1	1.0	3.5
- yellowness Index	D1003	-2.0	0.4	-0.5
<u>Mechanical Properties</u>				
- Tensile Strength, psi	D 638	5500	6800	7,000
- Tensile Modulus, psi	D 638	240000	260000	370000
- Tensile Elongation				
@ Yield (%)	D 638	4.0	5.0	3.8
@ Break (%)	D 638	35	50	9.5
- Notched Izod, ft-lb/in				
1/4"bar @ 23°C	D 256	1.5	1.0	1.9
1/4"bar @ 0°C	D 256	1.2	0.6	1.1
1/4"bar @ -32°C	D 256	1.0	<u>na</u>	<u>na</u>
- Rockwell Hardness (L)	D 785	45	35	27
<u>Rheological Properties</u>				
- Melt Flow Index, g/10 min				
@230°C, 5.0 kg	D1238	9	-	12
@230°C, 3.8 kg	D1238	-	1.6	-